

Friday, Oct. 31,"

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Oregon, Quero Bank, 10,000 lbs. cod, 19,000 lbs. halibut.
Sch. Corona, Quero Bank, 30,000 lbs. cod, 60,000 lbs. fresh cod, 400 lbs. halibut.
Sch. Senator Gardner, Quero Bank, 100,000 lbs. cod.
Sch. Talisman, Cape Shore, seining.
Sch. Edward A. Perkins, Cape Shore, seining.
Sch. Hattie E. Graham, Cape Shore, seining.

To-day's Market.

Board of Trade prices: Large handline Georges cod, \$4.00 per cwt.; medium do., \$3.25; large trawl Georges, \$3.75; medium do., \$3.25; handline cod from deck, caught east of Cape Sable, \$4.00; medium do., \$3.25; large trawl bank cod, \$3.25; medium do. \$3.00; large dory handline cod, \$3.50; medium do., \$3.00.

Board of Trade splitting prices on fresh fish—All cod caught on Le Have Bank and to the westward: large, \$2.00, medium, \$1.35; all cod caught to the eastward of Le Have Bank, large, \$2.00; medium, \$1.35; snapper cod, fish, 40 cts.; cusk, \$1.35; haddock, 80 cts.; hake, \$1.35; pollock, 75 cts.

Outside sales of straight Georges cod, \$4.25 per cwt. for large and \$3 for medium.

Outside sales of bank cod, \$3.50 per cwt. for large and \$3.20 for medium.

Outside sales of shack salt cod, \$3.25 per cwt. for large and \$2.87 for medium.

Outside sales fresh cod, \$1.90 per cwt. for large and \$1.35 for medium.

Outside sales fresh hake, \$1.35 per cwt.

Boston.

Sch. Eglantine, 7000 lbs. haddock, 5000 lbs. cod, 1000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Joseph W. Lufkin, 14,000 lbs. haddock, 5000 lbs. cod, 1000 lbs. hake, 1000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Nellie G. Adams, 2000 lbs. haddock, 9000 lbs. cod, 1000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Nannie C. Bohlin, 8000 lbs. cod, 20,000 lbs. halibut.

Sch. Rose Cabral, 1500 lbs. haddock, 1700 lbs. 2000 lbs. hake, 2500.

Sch. Thresa and Alice, 2000 lbs. haddock, 400 lbs. cod, 3000 lbs. hake, 500 lbs. pollock.

Haddock \$3 to \$3.50, large cod \$3.25 to \$3.75, market cod \$3, hake \$1.50, pollock \$1.50.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Elmo, from this port for Galveston, was at Vineyard Haven yesterday.

Sch. Olympia was at Hyannis yesterday.

NEARLY 5,000,000 POUNDS.

Great Quantity of Salt Fish Landed Here in September.

According to the United States fish commission report for September, 7,110,340 pounds of fresh fish valued at \$187,920 were landed at Boston against 3,100,647 pounds valued at \$69,683 landed at this port. Of salt fish, Gloucester received 4,982,400 pounds, valued at \$235,879, against 218,200 pounds at Boston valued at \$14,614.

The grand total of both ports shows that 10,210,987 pounds of fresh fish were landed, valued at \$257,603, and 5,200,600 pounds of salt fish, valued at \$250,493.

For the month of August, 2,511,995 pounds of fresh fish, valued at \$56,735, and 2,359,000 pounds of salt fish, valued at \$91,337, a total of 4,870,995 pounds, valued at \$148,172, were landed in this city, and 7,991,863 pounds of fresh fish, valued at \$191,810, and 70,800 pounds of salt fish, valued at \$4101, a total of 8,062,663 pounds, valued at \$195,911, were landed at Boston.

SEIZED AT NEWFOUNDLAND.

Sch. Edward Trevo of This Port Held at Bonne Bay.

Vessel Charged with Violation of Fisheries Act.

Sch. Edward Trevo, Capt. Charles W. Larkin, of this port, which went to Newfoundland for a cargo of salt herring, has been seized at Bonne Bay for alleged violation of the fisheries act.

A despatch from Bonne Bay says that the Trevo arrived there this fall with a purse seine for herring in deep water.

The captain of the Trevo hired a crew but refused to pay the \$1.50 a ton dues on his vessel. The Fiona went after him, but he had gone to sea. A few days ago he returned to Bonne Bay, having had a most unsuccessful trip, and the schooner is now held pending the result of a case for breach of the Fisheries Act.

It is probable that the vessel will be released with a nominal fine and paying the dues.

GLOUCESTER THE GREAT FISHING PORT.

The report of the United States fish commission for September furnishes food for thought, showing what a great fish market Gloucester is, bearing out the facts in figures. During that month, according to the report, there was landed here nearly 5,000,000 pounds of salt fish against Boston's magnificent showing of only 218,000 pounds. There is no room for comparison between Gloucester and Boston as salt fish markets, but in the fresh fish business the "Hub" takes a stride ahead of our old port. At the same time Gloucester made a good showing, and it is to be regretted that a great portion of this business which we practically have in our own hands be allowed to slip through our fingers and go elsewhere.

The local fresh fish question has been so much talked of and written about to bring it

up at this time, but it might be well to jog the memories that the day may come when the opportunity that now undoubtedly offers has gone forever. Do the firm supporters of Gloucester wish to have their patriotism humiliated by the thought passing the mind, "Of all sad words of tongue and pen, the saddest are these, 'It might have been.'" Nevertheless, Gloucester can well maintain her claim as the greatest fishing port in the world. If she did not receive her just amount of fresh fish, the commission report tells that for the combined fresh and salt fish branches for both ports, Gloucester did more business than Boston for the month by over \$100,000.

No Herring on the West Coast.

There is no sign of herring at any part of the West coast as yet. A number of American craft are on the coast, for last year they struck at Bay of Islands, on October 11. The fishermen believe that numerous dog-fish and squid are keeping the herring off the shore.—St. John's Herald, October 23.

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Sch. Dictator, Quero Bank, 100,000 lbs. fresh cod, 4000 lbs. halibut.
Sch. Norman Fisher, Georges, 50,000 lbs. cod.
Sch. Colonial, via Boston, 55,000 lbs. fresh cod, 4000 lbs. haddock.
Sch. Yakima, Quero Bank, 40,000 lbs. cod, 12,000 lbs. halibut.
Sch. Carrie F. Roberts, Maine Coast, 25,000 lbs. fresh cod, 5000 lbs. haddock, 30,000 lbs. hake.
Sch. Samoset, Maine Coast, 1000 lbs. hake.
Sch. Evelyn Smith, Maine Coast, 5000 lbs. haddock.
Sch. Annie M. Parker, Cape Shore, seining.
Sch. Grace Otis, shore, 20,000 pollock.
Sch. Oceanus, shore, 20,000, pollock.
Sch. Bertha M. Miller, shore, 10,000 pollock.
Sch. Vesta, shore, 8000 pollock.
Sch. Bertha M. Bailey, shore, 25,000 pollock.
Sch. Klondike, shore, 6000 pollock.
Sch. Defender, shore, 10,000 pollock.
Sch. Olivia Sears, shore, 3000 pollock.
Sch. Sachem, shore, 1500 pollock.

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Boston.

No arrivals today.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Edna Wallace Hopper cleared from Halifax on Wednesday.

Mackerel Notes.

The Provincetown Advocate in speaking of the mackerel fishery at that port says:

"It has been a broken year for this industry. About twenty vessels have done well the rest have fallen in debt. There has been a good show of mackerel but high winds and heavy fogs have rendered the catching a difficult task.

Halibut Sales.

The halibut fare of sch. Oregon, Capt. John Martin, was bought by the Atlantic Halibut Company at 14 3-4 cents per pound for white and 9 1-2 cents for gray.

Salt Bank Fare Coming.

The Bucksport dory handliner M. B. Stetson is bound here with her fare of 350,000 pounds of salt cod, the trip having been bought by Slade Gorton & Co.

Halibut Sale.

The fare of sch. Niagara sold to the Atlantic Halibut Company at 10 cents per pound right through for white and gray.